

ENGLAND.

The Resignation of the Lord Chancellor Officially Announced.

Plan of Payment of the Alabama Award Cash—Lord Rosedale's Condemnation of the Cabinet Management in Geneva—Death of a Peer—Papal Appointment of a Prelate.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD.

LONDON, Oct. 1, 1872. The *Standard* officially announces that Lord Salisbury has resigned the Chancellorship.

PROBABLE CHANGE IN THE JUDICIARY. It is again reported that Sir R. Palmer will be offered the Chancellorship, and that it is not improbable that he will accept the office. Sir Alexander Cockburn will also, it is said, be offered a peerage, and most probable that he will resign the Lord Chief Justiceship. Sir John Coleridge would then become Chief Justice of England and Mr. George Jessel be Attorney General, and perhaps Mr. Vernon Harcourt Solicitor General.

THE ALABAMA CASE AWARD. Mr. George Jessel, Solicitor General, made a speech to his constituents at Dover last night. He dwelt at some length on the operation of the new ballot law, congratulated his hearers that England was at peace with all nations, and declared that the award of the Geneva Board of Arbitration would be paid within a year without increasing the taxes of the country.

CONFIRMATION OF THE GENEVA TRIBUNAL DECISION. The Right Honorable Lord Rosedale has written a letter, which is published, condemning the conduct of the British government representatives in the Geneva Board of Arbitration, "where," he says, "the interests of the country were sacrificed to those of the Cabinet." He also demands full explanations of the reasons which prompted the representatives to act as they did.

DEATH OF A PEER. Baron Hastings died last night. Jacob Henry Delaval Ashley Hastings, Lord Hastings, was born in the year 1822. He served at one period as a captain in the Life Guards, and was the patron of or appointee to nine rectories in the Protestant Established Church of England.

PONTIFICAL APPOINTMENT OF A PRELATE. His Holiness Pope Pius the Ninth has appointed Rev. Mr. Vaughan Roman Catholic Bishop of Salford. Father Vaughan was recently connected with the mission for the spiritual instruction of the colored people in the United States.

MRS. HELLIS GRANT IN THE METROPOLIS. Mrs. Nellie Grant and her brother have arrived in London.

IRELAND.

Law Process for Damages Against the United States.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. LONDON, Oct. 1, 1872. A Commissioner in the Irish High Court of Chancery has taken depositions in support of a claim against the United States of America for a quantity of tobacco destroyed during the late war, valued at \$60,000 and the property of one Valentine O'Connor.

SCOTLAND.

An English Radical Reformer on Class Legislation and the People's Rights.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. LONDON, Oct. 1, 1872. Sir Charles Dilke lectured in Glasgow last night on class legislation. Some disorder was apprehended, and the authorities made preparations to suppress any demonstration that might be made; but no disturbance occurred.

FRANCE AND GERMANY.

Sad Scenes in the Subjugated French Territory—A Sunday Exodus in Face of Prussian Rule—No Affiliation with the Conqueror.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. STRASBOURG, Oct. 1, 1872. The time granted to the inhabitants of Alsace and Lorraine to choose between German and French citizenship has expired.

The French exodus from the frontier during the last days was immense. Fully 1,200 men, women and children left this city on Sunday for French territory. The trains on the railways leading into France were crowded and proved insufficient to carry all who wanted to go. The French journals to-day appear in mourning.

Prussian Report of the Territorial Population and Executive Prospect.

The newly acquired Rhine territory of the German Empire has been definitely constituted by Germany in three main divisions for population purposes, thus—Upper Alsace, with a population of 475,000; Lower Alsace, 450,000; and Lorraine, 350,000. Despite the national division of the French to them from the soil in face of the advent of the rule authority of the Prussians the Berlin officials appear to be exceedingly well pleased with the new acquisition to the German nation. Bismarck's agents have just reported that the material prospects of the provinces, dating from January, 1873, in anticipation, must be considered good, as the Zollverein restrictions are now removed and the products of Alsatian industry can be sold outside any part of Germany. The tobacco monopoly has been gone away with the German civil service is proving better than the French; the mail service is better and surer, and other functions of the post office—such as money-orders and newspaper subscriptions—much simplified in practice. The telegraphic stations have been multiplied, no longer with a pretentious "perspective," but with plain facilities of importance were slighted in favor of smaller towns, but with a common sense regard to the good of the greatest number. The fortifications of Strasbourg are to be pushed out from the city, and on one side will be merely nominal, in order to permit a healthy expansion, while new bridges across the Rhine and improved railroad facilities will tend to develop its commercial advantages. The entire school system has been reorganized and compulsory attendance enforced, and singing has been introduced, for which no provision was made in the French plan of instruction. The first Prussian census taken in the provinces did not show so great a falling off of population as might have been expected, and it is remarked that a concerted attempt of the French women to raise money as a New Year's gift to France produced a negligible return, that of Mülhausen, for example, not amounting to \$500, though the inhabitants have been constantly dissuaded with annexation, and for other objects, religious and political, have been in the habit of giving freely much larger sums.

So have the Prussians just written. If we are to believe the cable the French take a different view of the situation.

FRANCE.

Arrest of an Alleged False-Pretext Operator from America—United States War Vessel Sailing from Port—A Banker's Banquet.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. PARIS, Oct. 1, 1872. A man named Lagrave, who is said to have defrauded various New York merchants out of sums of money amounting in the aggregate to \$600,000, has been arrested at Bagueres-de-Luchon, in the Department of Garonne.

UNITED STATES WAR VESSELS STANDING TO SEA. Two of the four American men-of-war which have been lying in the harbor of Brest for several days sailed for Lisbon this morning.

BANQUET BY A PARIS BANKER. M. Sellmann, the banker, gave a dinner to-night at which Minister Wambury, Senator Sumner and Messrs. Evans and Waite were present.

BELGIUM.

The Cattle Plague Spreading in the Rural Districts.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. BRUSSELS, Oct. 1, 1872. The rinderpest has appeared in the country around Mons.

MONTENEGRO.

Serious Riot Between Turks and Natives—Many of the Combatants Killed.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. LONDON, Oct. 1, 1872.

A telegram from Ragusa reports that a fight occurred yesterday at Leposa between the Turks and the Montenegrins, and many were killed and wounded on both sides.

CUBA.

Confiscation of Smuggled Merchandise—The Spanish Iron-Clad Arapiles—Disappearance of the Vento.

TELEGRAM TO THE NEW YORK HERALD. HAVANA, Sept. 30, 1872. Via Key West, Oct. 1, 1872.

The *Arco* of this city publishes a notice of the Intendente confiscating a quantity of valuable merchandise belonging to Ochoa, Dama & Co., a Spanish dry goods firm, who made a fraudulent entry of the goods and subsequently attempted to surreptitiously remove them from the Custom House, but the trick was discovered. The Intendente personally interfered, and is undoubtedly in earnest in his efforts to abolish the smuggling operations hitherto practiced here.

The *Vento* has almost entirely disappeared from the island. The cases that remain have assumed a very mild type.

TERRIBLE BOILER EXPLOSION.

Frightful Disaster at Philadelphia—A Number of People Hurt, But No One Seriously—Great Destruction of Property.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 1, 1872. About noon to-day a thirty-foot cylinder boiler in Fulton & Co.'s rolling mill, Norris-town, exploded with terrible force, scattering destruction around, and seriously if not fatally wounding a number of men. Away from the mill, about one hundred feet, are several frame houses, and into one of these about twenty feet of the exploded boiler was driven; but fortunately the occupants were on the porch at the time and escaped injury. Another portion of the boiler was thrown in an opposite direction upon the roof of a building glass works, knocking down a large brick stack, but not seriously injuring the mill. The destruction at the rolling mill was terrible. At the time of the explosion the men were at the rolls, near where the greatest destruction occurred. The flying debris wounded the following-named persons, most of whom were employees of the mill: Albert Hingler, scalded, and badly hurt; John Kelly, not seriously hurt; William McDade, hurt in the arm; Joseph Mills, struck on the hand; Hugh Conner, severely injured; Patrick Kelly, arm torn and badly scalded; the scalded and hurt; William Pinesy, the engineer, was probably die; William Pinesy, the engineer, was scalded and otherwise injured; Patrick Murry was scalded and otherwise injured.

THE WEATHER.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER. WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 2—1 A. M.

Synopsis for the Past Twenty-four Hours. The barometer has continued to rise slowly east and northeast of the Alleghenies, with gentle northerly and westerly winds, and clear weather over the Middle, South Atlantic and Gulf States, with prevailing light northerly and westerly winds and clearing weather on the lower lakes, now extending over New England. Southerly winds and clear weather, with diminishing pressure and increasing temperature, prevail in the Upper Mississippi Valley and probably westward to Nebraska.

Probabilities. For the Northwest and Upper Mississippi Valley the barometer will probably fall on Wednesday with fresh southerly and southeasterly winds extending during the day to Lake Michigan and the Lower Ohio Valley. From the lower lakes over the Eastern and Middle States, clearing and clear weather will prevail, with a fresh southerly breeze veering to southwesterly, with higher temperature; for the South Atlantic and Gulf States clear weather will prevail, with a fresh southerly breeze veering to easterly. Reports from the Eastern Gulf, Lake Michigan and the Northwest have not yet been received.

The Weather in This City Yesterday.

The following record will show the changes in the temperature for the past twenty-four hours in comparison with the corresponding day of last year, as indicated by the thermometer at Hudson's Pharmacy, Herald Building.

1871. 1872.

5 A. M.	58	59	3 P. M.	61	68
6 A. M.	58	57	4 P. M.	60	62
7 A. M.	58	59	5 P. M.	62	67
8 A. M.	58	59	6 P. M.	62	67
9 A. M.	58	59	7 P. M.	62	67
10 A. M.	58	59	8 P. M.	62	67
11 A. M.	58	59	9 P. M.	62	67
12 M.	58	59	10 P. M.	62	67
Average temperature	58	59			
Range of temperature for corresponding day of last year					61

THE STORM ON LAKE HURON.

Many Cases of Shipwreck and Heavy Loss of Life—A Long List of Disasters.

DETROIT, Oct. 1, 1872. The disasters on Lake Huron on Saturday night and Sunday were much worse than on Lake Erie. Many lives were lost. The large Table Rock was wrecked on Towas Point, and all hands were lost but one man, who came ashore on a piece of the wreck. The schooner White Sailed sunk off Fish Point and only one man was saved. The schooner Neshota sunk at White Fish Point and all of the crew were drowned. An unknown schooner on her beam ends and a propeller with a spar and her smokestack above water were wrecked ashore above the double names unknown. The barges Adriatic and Hunter are ashore at Greenbush. The large A. Lincoln is ashore at Sauble. The schooner Annette Davis is also reported ashore. The brig Globe was sunk at Towas. The schooner Rebecca is ashore at Albion. The bark John Brecken and the schooner Thomas Gawn, Sherman, Magill, W. B. Allen and D. P. Robinson were badly damaged in sailing, rigging, &c., but reached the St. Clair River, some of them leaking.

It has been blowing here very hard for two days past. The schooner James Scott, of Dover, and the large Saginaw, of Bay City, are ashore here. The schooner Annette Davis is also reported ashore. The schooner Ironon, of Wallaceburg and Magna, of Ottawa, went ashore opposite this port last night's gale. No lives have been lost. Both vessels are in good position for getting off.

The schooner Exchange is ashore several miles north of here. The cargo is ruined, and the vessel badly damaged.

THE SUITS AGAINST THE KING.

Tweed and His Associates Given Leave to Answer Within Twenty Days—The Order of the Special Term Affirmed—Costs Against the Defendants.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Oct. 1, 1872. At an adjourned General Term of the Third Judicial Department, held here to-day, Judges Miller, Potter and Parker being present, the same decision was rendered in each of the cases wherein the people are plaintiffs and William M. Tweed and others defendants, as follows:

The order of the Special Term is affirmed with costs, with leave to defendants to withdraw from service of the order, upon the payment of costs.

Judge Peck, Courtney, Burrell and Hartlett, of counsel, were present.

LIBEL SUIT. CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 1, 1872. Governor Scott vs. The New York Tribune—Damages Expected Not Indicated.

It is announced that Governor Scott has commenced a suit for libel against the New York Tribune for an article published in its issue of September 27.

WALLACK'S.

Brilliant Opening of the Fall Season—Pygmalion and Galatea.

Only a few days ago we chronicled the departure of the blonde burlesquers from this favorite theatre and the close of the Summer season. Mr. Moss, the energetic manager, had already announced that the theatre would remain closed but for a very short interval and would open thoroughly renovated. We confess to have listened to these plans with a feeling of incredulity. It was therefore with real surprise on entering the theatre that we noticed the sudden transformation that had been effected by magic. The aspect of the auditorium was completely changed, presenting brilliant and joyous colors wherever the eye rested. In the centre of the large wall-painted bosques of flowers, painted with rare skill, imparted warmth and brilliancy to the decorations. The effect of the painter's skill was heightened by the use of a new gas, which gave a remarkably pure, white light. In view of the short space of time in which the work had to be done the change made in the appearance of the auditorium may, without exaggeration, be accounted wonderful. The attraction of the night was furnished by W. S. Gilbert's "Pygmalion and Galatea," which obtained so remarkable a success in London, where it ran at one of the principal theatres for some two hundred nights. It is a comedy tinged in all its vital parts with intense dramatic feeling. The public are warned on the bill that it is an "original comedy," but this information is only necessary for the hopelessly dull. No one could be so stupid as to find any fault between it and the trash the good-natured public constantly swallow, under the title of modern comedy. There is not a trace of a thought in the whole play, except from a popular French playlet, and the dialogue is at once sparkling, pure and correct. Under these circumstances it was surely not surprising that the play should be original, as we know only a few modern comedies of which this description could be at all true. The author has found the plot of the play in the old Greek story of Pygmalion, the artist who loved the work of his hand so much that he envied the gods who kept to themselves the power of bestowing life. He made a statue of ivory of the story Mr. Gilbert has departed from the legend of the Greeks. The aim of the play is somewhat psychological, and, like most of Mr. Gilbert's works, contains an excellent social comment. It is intended to strike at abuses of the day, as well as to hold the mirror up to nature, and allow us to catch a glimpse of human nature stripped of the conventionalities and hypotheses which are its delights to clothe himself. Galatea, the animated statue, is born into the world in fulfillment of the prayers of Pygmalion, a beautiful woman of the sex fully developed, but pure in thought, truthful in speech, knowing and caring nothing of the conventionalities of society, and sensible of the joy of being. Her existence is out for a day, yet she lingers long enough to witness the selfishness and ingratitude of a woman, which appeared so bright and happy at first sight. There is something idyllic in the sentiment that the sex fully developed, but pure in thought, truthful in speech, knowing and caring nothing of the conventionalities of society, and sensible of the joy of being. Her existence is out for a day, yet she lingers long enough to witness the selfishness and ingratitude of a woman, which appeared so bright and happy at first sight. There is something idyllic in the sentiment that the sex fully developed, but pure in thought, truthful in speech, knowing and caring nothing of the conventionalities of society, and sensible of the joy of being. Her existence is out for a day, yet she lingers long enough to witness the selfishness and ingratitude of a woman, which appeared so bright and happy at first sight.

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WASHINGTON.

The Japanese Bourbon Reaction.

MINISTER MORI'S VIEWS. The Tanno's Endeavor to Secure the Results of the Progressionist Movement.

STATEMENT OF THE PUBLIC DEBT.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1, 1872.

A Native View of the Reactionist Crisis in Japan—Mr. Mori's Opinions.

Mr. Mori, Japanese Chargé d'Affaires, explains the present situation in Japan by saying that the progressives, who count among their number nearly, if not all, the travelled young men of the nation, have in the past few years gained a virtual monopoly of the direction of public affairs, and that the reactionary movement, allied to the despotic tendencies of the old and the older and necessarily slower men in public life to restore the balance of power; that the Tanno has endeavored, as a matter of right and policy, to maintain a mean between the two parties. Mr. Mori some time ago saw the necessity of a check upon the tendency of the younger men to ignore the former governing class in the conduct of affairs under the new régime, and has held the opinion that stability of government could not be hoped for, nor the fruits of modern progress fully secured, unless the idea of educating that class up to a conception of the new order of things should prevail over the growing propensity to retire them from active participation in the government.

With this view, he insisted, as far back as last January, that his resignation of his post at Washington should be accepted, and has refrained from assuming the honors of a Minister Plenipotentiary conferred upon him by his government. He hopes and expects that his successor will bring to the office at least the dignity of added years, as he deems age to be one of the proper qualifications of a diplomatic representative.

Mr. Mori was guarded in the expression of his sentiments with regard to the present crisis; but it is evident that he is anxious not only for the party of Young Japan, with which he is thoroughly identified, but for the principles on which that party has attempted to administer the government.

It is well known that the efforts of his government to negotiate a loan of \$20,000,000 in New York and abroad so soon after adopting the more civilized systems of administration was a disappointment to him, and that he was opposed to the project as being untimely and impolitic, both with respect to its influence in Japan and elsewhere.

Mr. Mori seems to think that young men like himself have everything to risk by undue haste to seize the control of affairs and much to secure by contenting themselves with a share, and that, if necessary, an inferior share, of power till the reactionists have disappeared from the stage. He hopes that the stoppage of funds for the two vessels building in New York is but temporary.

Cabinet Meeting. The President received a few visitors to-day. There was no formal session of the Cabinet, but the Secretary of War and several of the Assistant Secretaries in charge of the departments had interviews with the President in relation to routine matters pertaining to their departments.

The Public Debt Statement. The following is a recapitulation of the public debt statement:

DEBT BEARING INTEREST IN GOLD.
Bonds at 100 per cent. \$1,457,018,000
Bonds at 5 per cent. 416,600,000
Interest 32,712,994

DEBT BEARING INTEREST IN LAWFUL MONEY.
Certificates of indebtedness at 4 per cent. 6,675,000
U. S. National Bank notes 14,000,000
Certificates at 3 per cent. 6,685,000</